

HOUSE No. 52

Accompanying the twenty-second recommendation of the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (House, No. 30). Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE MEDICOLEGAL COMMISSION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 184 of chapter 6 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended by striking out, in lines 9 and 10, the words "and who are members of the
- 3 Massachusetts Society of Pathologists and who reside in the commonwealth", and inserting in
- 4 place thereof the following words:-
- 5 provided, however, that the governor may appoint to either of these two seats a pathologist
- 6 certified by the American Board of Pathology if, after a diligent search, no forensic pathologist is
- 7 available;